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\$2.00 YEARLY

F. M. THOMPSON CO.

The Quality Store

Groceries, Dry Goods, Crockery, and Everything in Shoes

See our assortment of

Children's Sandals, Slippers and Sneakers

These are smart goods and prices are right

Ladies' Slippers, from 90¢ to \$4.00

Ladies' Fine Shoes, \$2.35 to \$5.00

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Gents' Oxford's, black and tan

Smart goods in button or lace

Boys' Loafer-make Soldier Boy School Shoes

Special 15 p.c. Reduction in Ladies Rain Coats

Strawberries, Celery, Radishes, Tomatoes,
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Flour is Advancing

We still have Robin Hood, Royal Household
and Five Roseat \$3.45 net, Purity and West Queen
at \$3.35 net, Keynote at \$3.25 net.

Bran, Shorts, Cracked Corn, Barley Chop, Crushed Oats,
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Apples (all wrapped) sound stock, at \$2.00 net.

All goods 5 p.c. discount for cash and prompt payment.

Phone 25

The Store That Saves You Money

BLAIRMORE

ALBERTA

We are agents for the J. E. Terrell Florist Co., Lesliebridge and Calgary. See catalogues and leave your orders with The Enterprise.

How are you fixed for Butter Wrappers, Milk Tickets, Bread Tickets and Shipping Tags? Leave your order with us.

We Invite Your Patronage

Our new Bakery has just opened up in the Nicetoro Block, Blairmore, where we are prepared to cater to the trade in the best of

Breads, Cakes, and Pastries

— Only the best ingredients used —

We have had over eighteen years' experience in the bakery business and can guarantee satisfaction at all times.

Home Trade catered to. European Pastries a Specialty

The Blairmore Bakery

Adamo Trubacito, Proprietor

Corner Victoria Street and Eighth Ave.,

Blairmore, Alberta

Arrangements are now being made by the Dominion Government, census department, to take the five year census of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

STORE TO RENT in Hillcrest, suitable for general store business. Occupation May 1st. Apply W. D. McLean, Hillcrest, or McLean Engineering Company, Calgary.

P.O. Box 22, Bellevue

Successor to F. Wolstenholme

J. DELICATE

Contractor & Builder

Dealer in Rough and Dressed Lumber,
Shingles, Lath, Doors, Windows, Etc.

Deliveries at Bellevue, Hillcrest, Passsing and Frank

Lumber Yards and Office at

Hillcrest

Alberta

Another vigorous German attack at Verdun has failed.

Ottawa parliament was to have prorogued yesterday.

H. J. POZZI

General Contractor

Stone, Cement, Brick
Construction

Coke Ovens
A Specialty

Estimates furnished on
application
First Class Work Guaranteed

Phone 154

BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA

THE ALLIES CAFE

White Restaurant

NO COLORED HELP

Excellent Meals, Tickets \$6.00

Friendly Trade Catered To.

Pastries, Breads, Confections,

Soft Drinks, Fruits, Ice Creams

MISS M. PADEN, PROP.

Victoria Street, Blairmore

Blairmore, Wednesday, May 24

FIELD SPORTS

Foot Racing, Jumping,
Football, Baseball, Etc.

Grand Dance

In the Blairmore Opera House at Night

Cowley Happenings

A. Bots has purchased a new Ford car.

Robert Welsh has purchased a new Ford car.

Peter Verquin spent Sunday with F. W. Godsal.

Forest ranger W. T. Eddy was in town on business Monday.

J. P. Swinney, of Fishburn, spent the week end in this district.

John M. Larson has tired of this life and gone down east to get married.

Mrs. W. Patterson, of Bellevue, is spending a few days here with parents this week.

C. Raby, of Cardston, is buying cattle in this district. Collie Buchanan is taking him the rounds by car.

D. A. Sinclair, A. McLeod and W. J. Bartlett and family motored to town from Blairmore on Sunday for a "square".

M. A. Murphy, John Kemmis and George Buchanan motored into Pincher Creek with H. D. McMillan on Friday night to attend the Masonic Lodge.

Rev. Hillis Wright, of Pincher Creek, paid a visit to Rev. W. M. Chalmers on Thursday. Both left for Coleman this morning to attend the induction of Rev. D. K. Allan.

A baby girl has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Marlow, of Warner. Mr. and Mrs. Marlow lived in this district up until a few months ago and are well known in this vicinity.

The Union Sunday school gave a concert in the Presbyterian church on Friday night in aid of the Belgians. Most of the programme was rendered by the children and an enjoyable time was reported by all. The proceeds amounted to \$15.00.

The beginning of the end of the threshing of last year's crop is now in sight. F. W. Fisher expects to wind his threshing up by the end of the week, while George Dwyer has a threshing outfit at work at his many stalks which he hopes to get finished in a few days.

The school children had a holiday on Friday, it being Arbor Day. They made themelves busy by cleaning the school house up and planning to beautify the school grounds by planting trees as soon as the weather will permit. We hope every effort possible will be put forth to make the trees grow, so that the little ones will feel satisfied with their labor.

Tide Definitely Turned Against Hun

London, May 17.—The Daily Chronicle correspondent in Paris sends the following despatch:

"Although the German commanders dare not confess it, their disastrous failure in their Verdun offensive has turned the tide and cutting off the losses of the western Allies interest here, now another relieved of anxiety is passing to other fields where events of different character are preparing."

"Now that 300,000 of the best German soldiers have been lost on the banks of the Meuse, a very grave and daily aggravated situation faces the Kaiser and his grand staff. The tide has definitely turned. From west and east their long-expected destiny is closing in upon them."

"At no moment in the battle of Verdun have they dared to bring thither any unit from before the British front. Other parts of the German front have been stripped of all the superfluous strength possible. It is similarly crippled to feed this advancing army. Last September at least 21 divisions have been transferred from the east to the west front. 15 of these coming from Russia direct, and five or six others by way of Serbia or other indirect way."

"There is thus left in Russia a mere curtain of German troops, while Bulgaria and Turkey are being gradually left to shift for themselves."

"If the Germans contemplate a great offensive by land and sea against Riga and the Dvina," says General Gheorghe to-day, "they will have to reinforce their 48 divisions of infantry. These, spread along a front of 330 miles, give less than one man per yard. It is little enough for defense. For an attack 10 men per yard are needed on the line chosen."

"Where are such reinforcements to come from? It is very doubtful whether the depots in Germany contain the necessary numbers and the quality of German infantry has certainly much deteriorated. Nor would the wreckage of the battle of Verdun be capable of lifting such forces even if the crown prince could not disengage himself in that region."

"There is every reason to hope that with the close of the battle of Verdun there is opening a new and final stage of the war, in which its authors will be obliged to reason. If not by imminent threat, then by the actual hand of famine and military disaster."

How It Originated

The military salute has a curious origin. It dates back to the days of the tournaments which were presided over by a queen of beauty. The knights and their squires and all who took part in the tourney, on presenting themselves before the queen, lifted each one a hand level with the brows, as though dazzled by the light of her presence. From this custom came the soldier's salute to his superior officer.

By August the big European war will have cost \$45,000,000,000. The heaviest cost is on Great Britain and Germany. The American civil war in the sixties lasted four years and cost \$6,000,000,000. That war was hard on privates. After it was over only one private and a million officers were left to tell how it happened.

Ladies' Hats, Suits & Coats

to clear out this week



! SHOES !

THE BLAIRMORE TRADING CO.

THE STORE THAT SELLS FOR LESS

Blairmore

Alberta

Thirteen thousand trees were planted within the city of Calgary on Arbor Day.

A deaf Doukhobor was killed by a C.P.R. passenger train near Creston this week.

GROCERIES

Potatoes, dry and mealy, \$1.10 per 100 lbs

Cloverdale Creamery Butter, 40c a pound

Good Rice, 4 lbs 25c

Melrose Tea, 40 and 50c a pound

Ceylon Bulk Tea, 35c a pound

Quaker Oats 25c a package

8-lb sack Rolled Oats 35c

10-lb sack Rye Flour 50c

6-lb sack Graham Flour 35c

Five Roses and Party Flour at bottom prices

Corn Starch 10c a packet

Pure Maple Syrup—half-gallon can—95c

Gold Medal Tomatoes 15c can

Potato Flour 15c a package

Currants or Raisins 2 pts for 25c

Large can Peaches 30c

Fresh ground Coffee, 35c pound

Canned Meats in great variety at right prices

Vinegar, brown or white 20c a bottle

10-pound case Macaroni for 85c

Fresh Strawberries Cherries Rhubarb, Tomatoes, Etc.

J. HANDLEY,

Phone 52

Over two billion pounds of copper were produced in the United States last year.

Halibut is worth over nine cents a pound, wholesale, at Prince Rupert.



Automobile prices are being raised---but the Ford price has been reduced \$120 since the war began.

The immense Ford cash purchasing power has made it possible to overcome in many ways the serious obstacles met with by other car makers because of the scarcity and advance in prices of raw materials.

The high Ford quality is strictly maintained—and the most exacting government tests have shown that Ford constructive material even excels that used in most high grade cars.

This year the Ford car—always the most economical car to buy and to operate—beats all records for economy.

D. A. SINCLAIR, DEALER
BLAIRMORE, ALTA.

Ford Runabout \$450
Ford Touring \$450
Ford Coupelet \$370
Ford Town Car \$390
I. o. b. Ford, Ontario

All cars completely equipped, including electric headlights. Equipment done in handsomest specimens.

MOTHERS

REMEMBER! The ointment you put on your child's skin gets into the system just as surely as food the child eats. Don't let impure fats and mineral coloring matter (such as many of the cheap ointments contain) get into your child's blood! Zam-Buk is purely herbal. No poisonous coloring. Use it always. 50c. Box of All Drugs and Stores.

USE ONLY
ZAM-BUK
FOR CHILDREN'S BODIES

GinPills FOR THE KIDNEYS

**Perhaps Your
KIDNEYS**

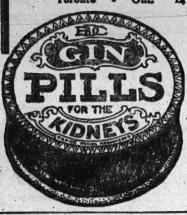
are out of order. Make the doctor's
be a simple cure. It should be
colored, reddish or deep orange—if
the color is strong or unusual—if
brick dust has been added to the
kidneys. They are out of order.

Get GIN PILLS at once, and take
them as directed.

Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbargia,
pains in the back, gout or hives
due to kidney trouble, rheumatism or
bladder disease, and the pressing necessity
for GIN PILLS.

Get GIN PILLS for their weight in
gold because they drive these pains
out of the system. They only
cost 25c. a box, and give you
the guarantee of satisfaction or your money
back. So get them for \$2.50, or a few
times that if you write.

National Drug & Chemical
Co., of Canada, Limited
Toronto Oct. 14



Prairie Lumber Industry

Lumber Industry of the Prairie
Provinces of Some Importance

Although the prairie provinces are
essentially agricultural, the timber
and lumbering industries of British
Columbia and the eastern provinces,
are of great value to the immigrant
settlement in the west. In 1913
about 181 million board feet of
timber were cut in Alberta. Saskatchewan
and Manitoba sawed approximately
250 million board feet of lumber,
valued at the point of manufacture
at over \$4,260,000. The prairie
provinces are, however, the largest
immigrant settlement in the west. In 1913
about 181 million board feet of
timber were cut in Alberta. Saskatchewan
and Manitoba the balance. The prairie
market consumes about 1,400 million
board feet annually. Over half
of this comes from British Columbia
(in part from the Railway Belt por-
tion), and the remainder is supplied
from the forests of the United
States and the home forests
Forest Protection in Canada, 1913.
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GOOD REPORT

Doctor Proved Value of Postum

Physicians know that good food
and drink, properly selected, are of
the utmost importance, not only for
the physical well-being, but also for
health even when one is well.

A doctor writes: "I count it a pleasure
to say to a good word for Postum
with which I have been pleased to re-
ceive so many sufferers, and which I
count, with its valued companion
Grape-Nuts, one of the daily blessings."

"Postum was banished from my own
table some time ago and Postum used
regularly in its place. (Both tea and coffee are abominable to many persons,
because they contain a subtle, pungent
active drug, caffeine.)

"I frequently find it necessary to
advise patients that they should return
to Postum for the first time to be quite sure
that it is properly made according to
direction, then there is a clear, seal-
brown color and rich, snappy taste,
as well as health-giving properties."

The above letter, received over ten
years ago, is fully confirmed by a recent
letter from the doctor in which he writes:

"It is a pleasure to render a good
report covering a product of which I
am so enthusiastic a fan."

"I am using in my practice your Postum
Cereal in both its forms. And, what is more, I am having it used in
the form of several patients in
which there are many who all uniformly
endorse the fine qualities of
your admirable product."

Name given by Canadian Postum
Co., Ltd., On Jan. 1, 1914.

Postum comes in two forms:
Postum Cereal—the original form
—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c
instant Postum—a soluble powder
dissolves quickly in a cup of hot
water, and with cream and sugar,
makes a delicious beverage instantly.
We are 15c.

Both forms are equally delicious
and cost about the same per cup.
There's a reason for Postum.
sold by Grocers.

W. N. U. 1103

The Object of the Allies

From Sir Edward Grey's Speech in
Parliament Defending the
Blockade.

Let us also bear this in mind. I do
not say that we are exercising those
measures of blockade the least bit
more than our allies did in our
opinion. If we did, no doubt I have no
doubt we should have done precisely
the same thing, and, as the house
says, it is our duty to do this country
service. But do not let us forget that it is our
duty to our allies as well. We are
in this war with all the forces
available, after every effort
has been made to find a settlement without
war, which could easily have been
found, either by conference as
was proposed by the Hague tribunal, or
by the Emperor of Russia suggested
Prussia's military
would not have any other settle-
ment in Europe in which in time
of peace would cause the whole continent
discomfort by its continual
war. That is the reason why we
must have come that suits itself
would plunge the continent into war.

The whole of our resources are
expended in the war. It should be
remembered that the military, naval,
or financial, is at the disposal of our
allies in carrying on this contest.
With them we shall see it through
to the end. We must not be afraid of
effort. Part of that effort is and must
remain that whether it be in the
interests of ourselves or of our
allies, it is the common cause
which unites us all together, which makes
us feel that national life will not be
lost. National life is worth living unless
we can achieve successfully the object of this war
in that common cause. We shall continue
our efforts until we have put
the maximum possible pressure upon the
enemy, and, continuing to be doing
the most we can, we shall continue
going on from the enemy, using the
navy to its full power, and, in com-
mon with our allies, sparing nothing,
whether it be military, naval or
any other effort which this country can
afford, to see the thing through with
them to the end.

In British Columbia a government
bill has been introduced to provide
homesteads and loans for returned
soldiers, with provisions to prevent
the land getting into the hands of
speculators.

Advice to Dyspeptics Well Worth Following

In the case of dyspepsia, the appear-
ance is variable. Sometimes it is raven-
ous, again it is often very poor. For
this condition, Dr. Hamilton's Pills
—Dr. Hamilton's Pills—which
cure quickly and thoroughly.

Sufferers find marked benefit in a
day or two, and at times go on improving
continually. No other medicine
will strengthen the stomach and
digestive organs like Dr. Hamilton's
Pills. They supply the material
assassins to combat everything
eaten into nourishment, into
muscle, fiber and energy with which
to build up the digestive system.

Write for your dyspepsia now.
Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills today, 25c
per box at all dealers.

15 Years in Public Schools

Interesting Data Based on Report
of the Minister of Education

(Contributed by Norman F. Black,
Secretary, Public Schools)

The recently published report of
the Saskatchewan education department
for 1914 indicates that the average
school year for the schools of the
Province is 183 days, and the average
days and that the average Saskatchewan
school boy attended for 100 days during the year. The aggregate
enrollment in all elementary schools
amounted to 11,600. In this number
was multiplied by the number of days
in the average school year (183) and the
actual aggregate attendance
(11,111) to get the result that
the actual attendance throughout the
Province was only slightly over 50 per cent. of what it would have been
if each school was open. That means that out of every 100
Saskatchewan school children 47 are
absent from school every day.

According to the statement quoted in
"A Comparative Study of the Public
School Systems in the 48 States,"
presented by the Division of Education
of the National School Survey Association
in the American Republic, the Province
has a low percentage of attendance
as compared with the lowest state in
Mississippi (111.1). It is evident
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Parliament Defending the
Blockade.

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Now is the time when the liver is right
and foods are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE
LIVER PILLS

gently but firmly com-
pet a lively liver to
do its duty.

Carter's
Liver
Pills
are
the
best
liver
pill
there
is.

Sick
Headsache, and Distress after Eating.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

Genuine man beer Signature

Brentwood

STOP

and consider the duty you owe
your country, your friends and
yourself in this great war of
right against might. Are you doing
your part?

LISTEN

around you see how many
of the men you know
are "doing their bit".
Would you not be happier with
them? When the boys return
which would give you the greatest
pleasure—to cheer or be
cheered?

LISTEN

to the pleasure of humanity
and of your own conscience.
You may never again have such an
opportunity to assert your
manhood. Why not grasp it now?

LISTEN

Men required to complete the
17th OVERSEAS BATTALION
of the CAMERON HIGHLANDERS
and a protective regiment
Lieut. Col. J. A. Candler, O.C. Any physically fit Britisher is invited to join.

Enlisted men are granted 30 days pay where they can
show they are going to work on farms for seedling
or to recruit to receive
medical certificate from your local doctor and
address to the Adjutant, 17th Cameron Highlanders, Main Street, Winnipeg.

One Charge

Obstetrician Manager (catching his
clerk kissing his daughter)—Now,
young man, don't pay for that kind of work.

Surprise! Clerk—No, sir. And
you're welcome to charge anything
extra for it.

One Charge
Miller's Worm Powders
ensure healthy children as well as
aliments attributable to worms are
concerned. A high mortality among
children is traceable to worms. These
worms are unable to maintain the
life for life and succumb to weakness.
This preparation gives promise of
removal of worms and keeps

Saskatchewan West Law

By an amendment to the Noxious
Weeds Act the Saskatchewan legislature
has placed upon every medical
officer the duty of reporting
inspectors to enforce the provisions
of the act. Neglect to do this leaves
each medical officer liable to
fines amounting to \$25. For
better enforcement of the law the
Province has been divided into six districts
and a field man appointed
to each district. This field man
and council take such action as
may be necessary to have the law
enforced.

After Ten Years of Asthma Dr. J. D.
Kellogg's Asthma Remedy proved the
only relief for one grateful user, and
that is one out of many. Little
does the manufacturer know that he has become
the one recognized remedy on the
market. It has earned its fame by its
ability to bring relief to those suffering from
it today as it has done for ten years.
It is the greatest asthma specific with
in the reach of suffering humanity.

A Canadian toy makers' and
buyers' association has been formed
in Toronto, with a board of directors
selected from various parts of Canada.
The members of the organization
and "Made in Canada" stamped on
the centre has been selected, and it
is hoped in future all Canadian made
toys will be known by this stamp.

Women Farmers in Britain

Government Will Train Women in
Agricultural Pursuits

"Britons are coming slowly to a
realization of the country's needs,"

declared the Hon. Dame June Long,
president of the local government
board, London, in addressing the
inaugural of the Women's National
Land Service Corps, which intends to
utilize women in agriculture in the
absence of the men at the front or in the
government employ of the men of the
British Isles.

Long declared that the govern-
ment required co-operation of all
classes, and heartily approved of the
women's movement, which he said,
means that women would now take
even a larger share in the defence of the
country.

"We want soldiers," said Mr. Long.
"We're going to have to have sufficient
soldiers, and we are all going to
need them. But we also want to keep
the land cultivated and obtain a maximum
output, so that we may assist our
own overseas trade and our imperial
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"I want Bovril—not that!"

No substitute will save money in the
kitchen as Bovril does, or give the
nourishing value to soups and stews. It
takes the beef of an entire ox to make less than two dozen
bottles of Bovril. Bovril is thus so strong that it cannot
possibly be put in cheap cubes. Get the real thing—
Bovril in the Bovril bottle.

Let Him Help Himself To

CROWN BRAND CORN SYRUP

It will do more than satisfy his craving
for something sweet—it will supply
his little body and help him to gain in
health and strength.

"Crown Brand" is a wholesome, nutritious
food—as well as the most delicious of table
syrups.

The recipe in our new
booklet presents and
describes how to use it in many
ways. Write for a copy to our Montreal Office.

THE CANADA STARCH CO. LIMITED
Montreal, Cardinal, Brantford, Fort William,
Makers of "Lily White" Corn Syrup, Basson's Corn
Starch and "Silver Glass" Laundry Starch.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

A safe, reliable remedy
which cures all kinds of
wounds. Sold in three sizes
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MUCH-BOASTED GERMAN FLEET IS NOW THE DESPAIR OF THE HUNS

KAISER'S AMBITION WILL NEVER BE REALIZED

Huge Sums of Money Spent by Germany on Practically Useless Fortifications, Which Now Only Serve the Purpose of Protecting the Bottled Fleet in the Harbors

Fred T. Jess, a well known British naval historian, who died recently, was the writer of the following article:

"Had we spent every mark in the world, had you English spent every shilling, our fleet would be as big as yours."

So said the German navy officer, and he was literally true. German naval estimates have nominally never equalled British ones, but the sum total of all the fortifications and coast defenses in the two countries was for years about the same.

The result, of course, is different. Acting on the basis of our experience, we, who are a naval people first, and military afterward, put 18 ships in the pound on ships, and the remaining 120,000 tons of shore defenses at a few essential places.

Our argument (its exponents are here) is that the "Blue Water School" was, and still is, a wise school enough to prevent the enemy leaving harbor, it is waste of money to build forts to defend a coast which he cannot penetrate. We have certain definite defenses at certain places, but these come mainly under the head of precautions against odd raiders who might chance to elude our blockade.

The Germans, on the other hand, are really dovers. "Soldier at sea," they used to be called, and the phrase is correct. Roughly, their original policy can be summed up as follows:

"We have only a very small coast line, and our waters are shallow. It is easily made impregnable. We therefore need no forts to speak of."

Then in 1910 came the war. But presently there came a time when the German merchant marine pranced and the Kaiser—maybe feeling a little very proud in uniform of an honorary British admiral of the fleet—declared naval ambitions.

For ought I know, something one can read in any old navy list may also have started him off. The statement of ours is of in the alphabetical order of names, and these, one following the other, run:

German, James L. H. Fleet Paymaster, seniority, 5th November, 1911.

German Emperor and King of Prussia, His Imperial Majesty William II, R.O. G.C.V.O., Hon. Admiral of the Fleet, seniority, 1898.

One can never tell; alphabet or no alphabet, how the "All Highest" would take the news. In the case of the Navy List, put on top of him another bit of common clay. There is nothing to do but wait.

M.P. (Fleet Paymaster) may, on account of his godfathers and godmothers having given him a name which shall not be mentioned, have unwittingly contributed to the present great war.

I will not, perfectly serious, point to the fact that he seems to him more than once. It was he who pointed out to me the thing quoted above. He made no comment beyond saying, "I don't know what the British Navy List. Then he laughed that laugh which once heard is never forgotten. It was long ago, and those days he was our dear friend.

Be all this, however, as it may, the French did indeed believe the idea of a powerful German fleet, and largely of "Our future lies on the water."

To his intellectual credit may be placed the fact that he seems to have been the first German to realize that in case of hostilities only warships could safeguard his growing mercantile shipping in his ports.

So far so good. But here the essentially military idea of an impregnable base to work from obsessed both the French and the Germans, coincident with naval expansion they proceeded to spend millions of pounds in making Heligoland into a fortress, and in blissful disregard of the fact which sailors have ever recognized that (save in exceptional circumstances) a fort is best equipped with fort. It is simpler to go elsewhere outside the range of fort guns.

The Germans did manage to recognize this so-called but not real front to the North Sea, and proceeded to put still more and more guns along this front, until at present, in Canada, there are gun positions of such spaces in between.

In theory these forts were secret. In practice it is about as easy to guess the location of a fort as the German pattern (heavily armored forts containing big guns which take a long time to fix up) as it would be to secretly build a big hotel in the center of London.

In front of these forts they placed "secret mine fields" so secret as was water on land, but the Germans had lost his pocketbook containing over fifty pounds.

So he telegraphed to the London station, telling his home telephone that it should be kept till his next journey south, a month later.

In due course he turned up and the pocketbook was handed over to the finder, a young porter, stod by expectantly while Sandy counted his money.

The Scot gazed long and searching at the clerk in the inquiry office.

"What's the trouble?" asked the latter. "Isn't it right?"

"Aye, it's right enough," replied Sandy, sternly, "bit what's the mouth's interest?"—*Tit-Bits*.

The French government is considering the summoning to the colors of the men who have got into prison. Whether or not they are being held there we do not know. But it really does not matter, for the simple reason that being fixed defense any amateur would carefully keep clear of them.

Behind all these defenses lies the German fleet. Their defenses lie in the German ports. They are safe, and another have come as much as would be dreadfulness from the ranks to work in munition factories.

every farthing an utter waste of money.

For there are two things that the Germans overlooked. Of these, the first is that if our fleet keeps the German fleet bottled up in the Kiel Canal, these German ships might just as well be there as under the water. They cannot do any more than the other case.

Of course, the German trusted to a "T" that the "Blue Water School" was, and still is, a wise school enough to prevent the enemy leaving harbor, it is waste of money to build forts to defend a coast which he cannot penetrate.

However, it is not for us to complain. Britannia rules the waves and we, the Kaiser's dredgers must yield to her. The only way to prevent the German from getting away is to have him stay where he is.

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Lightning Rod Protection

Insurance Companies Appreciate Its Advantages to Rural Risks

An insurance authority, in speaking of the fire losses of April last, said: "Lightning has caused considerably loss during the month, especially throughout central and eastern Ontario and Western Quebec. On the 25th and 26th of the month, 34 barns and 10 houses were struck in Ontario, and on the 27th, 15 buildings were struck in the province of Quebec. All of these were made it would doubtless be found that these buildings were rodded. When it is remembered that lightning loses upon farms, especially in Ontario and Quebec and the insurance companies pay over \$400,000 a year and that losses not covered by insurance probably amount to an equal or even greater sum, it is evident that barns do not more generally adopt as simple a means of protection as the lightning rod."

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CRUEL TREATMENT IS ACCORDED WAR PRISONERS IN GERMANY

SAVAGE DOGS EMPLOYED TO TERRORIZE VICTIMS

Released Medical Officers Bring Horrifying Tales of the Cruelty Of the Fiendish Huns in Prisons Held in the Wittenberg Camp, and Particulars of Sufferings Endured

The government committee on the treatment of German prisoners of war, of which Mr. John D. Reid, acting captain, presented a report on the conditions prevailing in the Wittenberg camp during the typhus epidemic of last year.

The report is based on information from Major Priestley, Captain Vidal and Captain Lauder, of the army corps, who were sent to the camp shortly after the outbreak of the epidemic, and who were recently released from Germany. The three officers are the only survivors of six British medical staff who were in the Wittenberg camp by the Germans.

There are also outstanding against the British medical staff, under construction, stocks of supplies worth \$29,257,500 and bonds of \$62,224,004.

Stock dividends in 1915 were \$32,413,27, an increase of nineteen million dollars.

Lines owned and operated by the government, which are not capitalized, are covered in the report to amount to \$23,593,284, of which the Dominion government contributed \$16,059,284, of which the Dominion government contributed \$16,059,284.

Cash subsidies given during the year amounted to \$16,059,284, of which the Dominion government contributed \$14,844,864, bringing the total up to \$23,593,284.

According to the released officers there are 15,000 and sometimes more prisoners in the camp, which the committee found to be in a deplorable condition of health, and the average age was ten and a half years.

In Europe, a decrease in the number of passengers is a general rule. The average number of passengers per ship in Canada is 339, to 319,843,072, a decline of 7.6 per cent. due to the dividend on capital stock.

Operating expenses also decreased by \$31,244,159. The number of employees was reduced by 35,000, which brought down the average age of the population.

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Saturday, 20th May, 1916

On the above date anyone who has any amounts of money from 10c up, either at home or in the bank, are advised to transfer the amount to their pocket book or pocket, and to be ready to stand and deliver at a minute's notice to any of the fair sex, who will be stationed all through The Pass with tags. Knowing of the liberality of the people of this community in any enterprise of a public nature, this notice will serve to warn the people of the coming Tag Day, which has been instituted to provide funds for the purchase of instruments for the band of the local battalion, viz., the 192nd Overseas Battalion, C.E.F. This battalion, which promises to become a success in every other way, would not be complete without a band, and the immediate success of this band will be assured as soon as instruments can be purchased. The battalion has already signed on enough men who

have been bandsmen, and whose average qualifications will compare favorably with any complete band in the Dominion. Some few local enthusiasts have already promised an instrument each to the battalion, and these offers have been augmented by amounts given by influential business men in this district. A list of these generous subscribers and the nature of their subscriptions will be published at a later date. In the meantime, no one is barred from giving an instrument—bearing a suitable inscription—to the battalion. This band is intended to be the finest in The Pass, and in the years to come spectators will be kept delighted with music that only a full military band can make.

Buy a Tag and don't wait for change.—Com.

Am going out of grade cows into prebred milk cows, so that I have 36 full milk cows to sell.—C. H. POWELL, Cowley.

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W. J. BARTELL, Proprietor.

Blairmore, Alta., Fri., May 19, 1916

Sentiment and Editors

Last week we looked in a neighboring newspaper, expecting to see an account of how a young man had gone wrong. Not a line about the young man could be found. A broken hearted wife or relative had gone to the editor and asked him to say nothing about the fact he had won the prize of him. We have gone through the same thing ourselves many times. The question is human; he has his likes and dislikes, he loves and he hates; his strength between love and duty is just that of an average citizen. We remember one case in particular. We had let a certain case go by because a tearful mother bowed down with grief had come to us and begged the favor. A big headed man jumped on us and called us a coward for doing so. A short time afterwards the shadow fell across his threshold and he came running and begging us to say nothing. "Yes," we replied, "but don't you remember the time you called us a coward for keeping still?" "I know," he replied, "but I was wrong it is different now." And we listened to him, but he was a different editor now and more considerate. There are other things we can forget with propriety. As far as we are concerned, we would rather lessen the grief of a parent than throw out a morsel for gossiping people to feed upon. We'd rather wipe the tears from the eyes of a mother than have "nerve" enough to join the heartless crowd of flying tongues and sink the iron deeper into her tender soul. So when in this neighboring paper we failed to find what we wanted, we made no comment. But deep down in our own heart we admired that editor and thought more of him, because he had a heart that was tender and he would rather listen to the fibs of an unfeeling public than to the woes of a broken-hearted mother and sister.

The paper is from a country paper in Ontario and it tells exactly as it is known to every country newspaper man who is known by all his patrons. It is different with the editor of the big city paper who is practically unknown to nine-tenths of his readers. He is seldom appealed to concerning the suppression of news matter that that might reflect on a patron. But with a small paper it is different. Its editor is asked almost weekly to "say nothing about" such and such a matter and unless he feeds the appeal, he is hard headed and brutal. Even those who never spend a cent with the paper will expect to be favored every time they "slip a cog." So far as we are concerned, we get easily tired of this "favoring by suppression" business, but we continue to do it—probably for the reason that we still have a heart.—Ex.

That the heavy horse is the bone of Canada nobody would dare or care to dispute. At the same time it is evident there is room for his lighter brother. Dealing with the heavy horse, the more judgment exercised in breeding the better it will be for the country. For the last year or two there has been a slump in prices and, it is to be feared, less breeding than formerly in consequence. As a

Light and Heavy Horses

It Great Britain found it necessary to call in the horses of England for military purposes and this caused a craze upon racing she also finds it necessary to encourage hunting and to maintain horse shows. The reason for this is to promote the production of horses for remount purposes. Without some utilization for horses of this description other than military there would become such a scarcity that even officers' mounts would be hard to obtain. Dragoons and hussars may have been used as foot soldiers during the present war but it must be apparent that the reign of the cavalry horse has not altogether passed. He will ever be useful in colonial disturbances and in warfare against semi-civilized tribes and savages. He will also be used in garrisoning. That His Majesty

The King, as well as his government, takes this view is proven by his recent gift of one of the best-bred horses in his stable of high-class thoroughbreds to the government of Canada for the purpose of getting recruits. That but one mind in this regard is entertained by the ruling authorities of Britain is further indicated by the fact that the imperial government recently accepted a gift of his famous thoroughbred stallion from Colonel Half-Walker. From these points of view the advisability of Canada continuing to breed light horses and saddle horses is plain.

When Jesus comes, and the large number of people that have been created return to civil life, there will doubtless continue their equestrian sports. Therefore horse-back riding promises to become the vogue. Such sports as hunting and polo playing will receive an immense impetus and with them, horse shows will return to greater favor, than ever. In addition, the history of the horse proves that after every irritation of other means of street and road travel he has ultimately returned to his own. An alleged horseless age came in with railway trains. It returned with the bicycle. It has come back again with the automobile and traction power. As in the two first cases so in the last instance the horse will return. Possibly not to the same extent or exactly for the same purposes, but he will be restored for the reasons, among which, is the desire of humanity in this world to handle and control living things, because of the enjoyment he makes possible, because of the exhilaration he affords in freedom and daring and because of his spectacular character in the show ring. And he will never pass as a military arm.

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result, when the increased demand, which transactions, especially in the West, would indicate, has already commenced, arrives at its fullness there will be both high prices and a marked deficiency of the right sort. By this, coupled with the fact that the wastage of horses in the war has been enormous, it would seem worth while to improve and accelerate horse breeding along with general agricultural production.

Of Interest to
Metal Dealers

On account of the great and constantly increasing difficulty of securing reasonably prompt deliveries of the raw materials entering into the varied lines of products and the scarcity of both skilled and unskilled labor, due to the large number of workmen in all trades who have enlisted for overseas service, and the large number who have left their regular occupations and are now engaged on munitions work, a curtailment of output and the consequent lengthening of deliveries inevitable, certain Canadian manufacturing concerns are circularizing their customers to emphasize the fact that higher prices are also inevitable and will probably obtain for a very long time to come, due primarily to the increased cost of raw materials, the scarcity of labor and the present embargo on shipments from Europe which makes Canadian concerns dependent on receiving supplies from the United States, where the rise in prices during the past year has been unprecedented. As an illustration, the following table is submitted to show the increases therefrom March, 1915, to March, 1916:

Copper	100 per cent.
Pig iron	50 "
Tool steel	600 "
Steel castings	33 "
Forging billets	150 "

Insulating materials,
varnished cambric
and mica sheets

35 "

Steel plates

300 "

Electric steel

150 "

Tin

50 "

Lead

150 "

Brass

200 "

Spliter

300 "

Cold rolled steel

220 "

Ferro-manganese

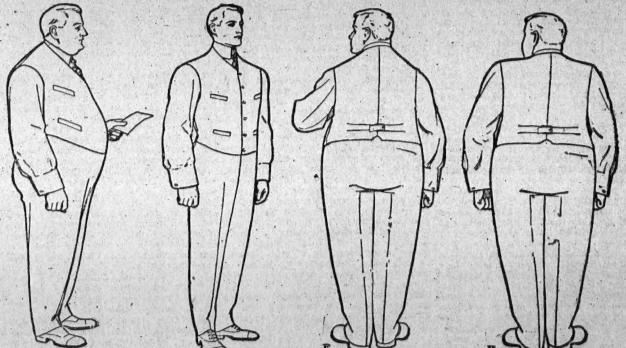
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The difficulty experienced in obtaining these materials should be borne in mind. For instance, bars and plates, which a few months ago could be secured in thirty to sixty days, now take from nine to ten months. Copper, which could be secured in thirty days, now requires four months, and shipping promises on cold rolled steel run well into 1917.

The Empty Keg

The following sad sight, as depicted by the Molave Miner will soon pass away in many parts of America, for soon the bear will ride upon its back, to lands where schooners are unknown, and the grower never comes. Here is what The Miner says:

Alone on the depot platform,
Bathed in the cold winter's breeze,
Stands an empty eight-gallon beer keg
With nothing in it to freeze.
Shorn of its former glory,
Drained of its last amber dregs—
Deerless, bungless and friendless—
Stands an empty eight-gallon keg.



The Semi-ready physique type system allows a perfect fit for this customer with high shoulders.

Semi-ready Clothes fit-the-hard-to-fit

The Good Old Way;
The Good New Way.

Old ways are good enough for some—a change of view.

Innovations are viewed with reluctance. Steam railways had their opponents; in later days electric street cars were condemned; the first telephone was hawked across Canada looking for believers.

Semi-ready tailoring is different from custom tailoring. It's an innovation—a departure from an established habit of ordering a suit of clothes tailored from a web of cloth.

You pay for a Semi-ready suit when you select it. It's delivered in an hour. If you do not like it you get your money back. But you will like it—particularly the saving of \$5 to 10.

Semi-ready Tailoring

W. E. Cooper, Blairmore, Alta.



HAS NO EQUAL
It not only softens the water but doubles the cleaning power of soap, and makes everything sanitary and wholesome.
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

Frightened Heroes

Some Brave Men Who Are Extremely Nervous

A well known big game hunter, who has killed many lions and tigers and not a few rhinos, besides such small fry as leopards and buffaloes, can't bear the scuttle of a mouse. He is never at ease unless he is in his bed. The squeak of mice behind the wainscot gives him a nervous tremor, and if he sees a mouse run across the floor he never gets it.

Cure? None!

An old Anglo-Indian, who had been hill-tribes, repelled attacks on his cantonments with非凡的勇猛, but has since seen scores of other things, look under his pillow every night of his life—for snakes!

He simply can't help it. He has got to sleep every single sleepless night. Yet he lives in a suburb of London, where snakes are not by any means common!

A man, a public servant who has a medal for life-saving at sea, having jumped after a suicide in mid-Atlantic—keeps a rope ladder under his bed.

He has a horror of facing a burning staircase, so, wherever he travels—and he goes to many spas and hydros since his retirement—he carries his ladder in a special bag.

SPRING REMINDERS OF RHEUMATISM

Raw, Damp Weather Starts the Pains, But the Trouble Lies In the Blood

Springs weather is bad for rheumatism sufferers. The changes from cold to cold, the raw, damp winds start the aches and twinges, or in the more extreme cases, the tortures of the trout goings, but it is the dampness in mind that it is not the weather that causes rheumatism. The trouble is rooted in the blood—the changeable weather only serves to bring it to the surface, only to reach the trouble and to cure it through the blood. The polychromous acidic acids must be driven out. Liniment and rubbers may give temporary relief, but cannot cure the sufferer. The sufferer is only wasting time and money with this kind of treatment, and all the time the trouble is becoming more deeply rooted—harder to cure. There is just one steady cure—Dr. Williams' Pink Pill. This will dislodge the impure, acid-tainted blood. They purify and strengthen it and thus root out the cause of the rheumatism. Here are some words above from Dr. Williams. Mr. Michael Personage, Fallon, Man., says: "My mother suffered several years with rheumatism. We tried a number of cures, but nothing would do to cure her. Then we got Dr. Williams' Pink Pill, and after using them for some time she was completely cured, and had no sign of the trouble since."

Sold by all medicinal dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

At a military hospital where some of the Irish regiments were being quartered, a young man was pointing to a very bad case, said to the orderly: "What are you going to do with him?" "Going back, sir," said the orderly.

"Going back?" said the visitor in surprised tones.

"Yes," replied the orderly, "he thinks he knows who did it!"

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

To exterminate them, clean up, and thus destroy their breeding places. Drain of stagnant water, or where drainage is not possible, spray with coal oil. Let the sunlight into damp places.

Cover rain water barrels with a fine netting.

Keep the farm machinery new by paint and protection from the weather.

When Rheumatism Strikes the Heart It Kills—"Nerviline" The Cure

Effect of Nerviline on Chronic Cases is Almost Magical

Exposure to wet or cold is apt to bring on an attack.

The muscles stiffen, the joints swell, and exercise brings on excruciating pain.

Often the pain shifts from one part to another, and this is dangerous as the heart is apt to be attacked death as a rule follows a heart attack.

The pain of rheumatism is quickly rubbed away with Nerviline, lasting and safe way to cure rheumatism. You can depend on Nerviline. It has the power, the penetrating force, the control over pain that is so essential to a rapid cure.

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Frank Meat Market

H. Lambirth, Proprietor

Fresh Killed**Beef, Pork, Veal,
Mutton, Etc.**

Sausages, Hams, Bacon, Butter, &c

Phone 36, - Frank, Alta.

FOR SALE

Two Milch Cows, a quiet Driving Mare, Buggy and Harness Apply to W. E. DUNCAN Barber, Bellevue, Alta.

John Crawford**Violinist**

Graduate of the International Institute of Music, New York.

Is prepared to take a few pupils in violin study at moderate rates. Apply to

Sanatorium Hotel, Frank



The S.O.E. lodge at Lethbridge is open to 45 members in khaki.

The French steamer Mira has been sunk by a German sub.

Rescue Bros' minstrel show will appear at the opera house tomorrow night.

We are only a little over a month from July 1st, when fishing comes in and booze goes out.

The British compulsion bill passed its third reading on Wednesday by a vote of 250 to 35.

A hen at Pincher Station was set on 12 eggs and brought out 13 chicks. Pincher is a wonderful place for wind.

Charlie Charlton cannot strike a match anywhere but on a bald head. He should find lots of room for practice in Blairmore.

The Crows' Nest Pass Coal Co. has declared a dividend of 1/2 cent, payable on June 30th to shareholders of record at the close of business on June 24th.

The possibility of the acquisition of the French colony of St. Pierre by Newfoundland is being discussed in official circles as a result of conditions arising from the European conflict.

Corpl. Searle, formerly of the Blairmore R.N.W.M. Police detachment, now at Gresham, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, and is being transferred to Cardston.

A runaway team belonging to the West Canadian Collieries collided with a hydrant near the school on State street, smashing the hydrant and doing other minor damage.

The election of officers of Crows' Nest Encampment I.O.O.F. will take place at the regular meeting on Wednesday night next. The officers of the subordinate lodge will be elected next Tuesday night.

The honor roll of Viaduct Lodge No. 83, I.O.O.F., Lethbridge, was unveiled on Tuesday evening by Lieut.-Col. Pryce-Jones, O.C. 113th Lethbridge Highlanders. An address on the subject was delivered on the occasion by J. F. Hunter, of Blairmore.

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Arbor Day was not fittingly observed in Blairmore.

About fifty per cent. of the Oddfellows of The Pass are now in khaki.

R. W. Fletcher, collector of inland revenue, was in town last weekend.

A German torpedo boat has been sunk by a German mine of the coast of Sweden.

Rev. D. K. and Mrs. Allan arrived at Coleman from Vulcan on Thursday morning.

S. Trono was in Lethbridge on Wednesday and returned home on Thursday morning.

John T. Sterling, provincial mine inspector, was down from Edmonton on Tuesday.

W. L. Ouimet, of Coleman, was a guest at the Masonic ball, Hillcrest, on Tuesday night.

Seeding is about completed in Blairmore, and we're now waiting for something else to crop up.

The Alberta musical festival will be held at Lethbridge on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

H. G. Goodeve, of the Goodeve Hardware Co., Coleman, paid a business visit to Lethbridge this week.

The military training camp at Verlun is to open in July. 7,000 men are expected to be under canvas.

George E. Buck, the fugitive oil company promoter, may be deported from the United States as an undesirable.

Grand Forks' 358 school pupils contributed a little better than 23 cents per head to the Patriotic Fund in April.

An exchange says: "Doesn't look like hard times to see many automobiles and Fords running about?" That's a mean rub!

A. E. Dunlop, of Lethbridge, regrets that the time is drawing near when the ladies will have more to say than they have had.

Rumor has it that Dr. J. C. Miller will be appointed principal of the Alberta Institute of Technology to be opened shortly at Calgary.

It is reported that two million fresh troops have been massed on the German western front, and that one-third of this number have seen service.

Their twentieth child, a daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Williams, Danville, Ill. The father is the nineteenth child of his parents.

Upwards of \$40 was netted for the Red Cross from a patriotic show put on at the opera house last night through the kindness of Mr. C. W. Johnston.

A horse took fright in the Frank slide on Saturday afternoon last at the sight of a Coleman paper, which was flying high. The owner of the horse now wishes the Bulletin would carry more weight.

R. H. Dunlap, business manager of the famous Bostonians Opera company, is in Blairmore today arranging for a special return engagement of the Bostonians in a new production "One Night Early in June."

On Sunday, June 4th, the C.P.R. summer time table comes into effect, and though the changes have not been officially announced it is understood that a number of changes affecting the Crows' Nest line are contemplated.

COMING—June 5th and 6th, "The Eternal City," in eight reels.

Another American citizen has been murdered by the Huns, without warning.

The total number of deaths in Dublin, caused by the recent riots, is placed at 160.

Sir (?) Roger Cagagement and Daniel J. Bailey have been committed for trial for high treason.

A Lindler, of the Creston Fruit Growers' Association, intends to move his family to Lethbridge to reside.

In nine months Trail has given almost \$21,000 to the Patriotic Fund, of which some \$17,866 came from smelter employees.

The dance given in aid of the Catholic church at the opera house on Tuesday night was well attended and a neat sum was realized.

R. E. Campbell, M.P.P., who has been appointed a provisional captain with the 192nd battalion, returned from Calgary on Thursday.

Capts. Verge and Hutcheson left for Ottawa on Thursday night, where they will take special course in musketry and machine gun drill.

A naval engagement occurred Tuesday off the Belgian coast between small German and British rearmen. There were no British casualties.

The Lethbridge Herald has announced the "Swat the Fly" campaign, and is now turning its weapons on the poor little dandies. Why not swat the pool shark?

Miss Jessie McLachlan, the famous Scottish singer, has died at Glasgow. She was well known over the entire British Empire for her peerless interpretation of Scottish melodies.

Rev. Hillis Wright, of Pincher Creek, will occupy the pulpit of Central Union church both morning and evening on Sunday. Rev. Dr. Gray, will officiate in Mr. Wright's stead at Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Giddard, of Burnis, after bidding farewell to their daughter, Mrs. Wetmore, at Kamloops, B.C., and their sons at Medicine Hat and Blairmore, leave tomorrow for England, via New York.

A number of conscientious objectors to military service have been arrested in the Old Country and sentenced to terms of imprisonment. Some of them refused to put on khaki or shave, and all refused to drill.

Mrs. Pankhurst will be in Calgary next month to lecture in behalf of the Serbian relief fund. She is one of the most illustrious women of the world, a lady of refinement and strength, and a very clever speaker.

A widow visiting her son's grave on the field of the battle of the Marne was herself killed by bombs dropped by a German aviator in passing over the field. The widow's daughter, who was also at the graveside, was mortally wounded.

The induction of Rev. D. K. Allan into the pastorate of the Institutional church at Coleman takes place tonight. Rev. Hillis Wright, interim moderator, will preside, while Revs. Dr. Ferguson and W. M. Chalmers, A.B., will address the new pastor and the people respectively. Rev. Dr. Gray, of Central Union church, will be the preacher.

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Paramount Travel Series—Blairmore every Friday night; Bellevue every Saturday night.

Mrs. C. Church paid a visit to her sister, Mrs. Scott, at Pincher Creek, this week.

Dr. J. C. Miller, provincial director of technical education, was in town from Edmonton yesterday.

THREE HOUSES FOR RENT, near the Rosedale Dairy, Bellevue. Apply to Fred Chappell, Burnett's store.

H. E. Lyon has received his official appointment as Lieutenant-colonel in charge of the 192nd overseas battalion.

Robert Smallwood, who had been taking treatment at Banff for rheumatism, returned, Monday morning, feeling very much improved.

My duck she lays a bigger egg than the helpful hen can lay, but when she's through she cackles not, but simply walks away. And so soon, the silent duck—but the helpful hen, we prize—which is only another way to say that it pays to advertise.—Associated Advertising.

An old couple lived together forty years. The man said he and his wife never agreed but once in all that time, and that was once when the house took fire—but the old couple, the best thing to do was to get out as soon as possible.

"Why don't you advertise?" asked the editor of the home paper, "don't you believe in advertising?" "I'm afraid advertising," replied the proprietor of the store. "But why are you against it?" asked the editor. "It keeps fellow too darn busy" replied the proprietor. "I advertised in a paper once about ten years ago, and I never even got time to go fishing."

The new addition to the hospital is nearing completion.

James Haddad paid Fernie a visit on Wednesday.

Harry Fisher was here renewing acquaintances on Tuesday.

J. Degant, of Blairmore, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Hansen, this week.

The Southern hotel was closed on Tuesday by Sheriff Morrison, of Coleman.

The Red Cross concert in the Lyric theatre on Wednesday was well patronized.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Wolstenholme, of Blairmore, were visiting here on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Wolstenholme is visiting Mrs. F. Wolstenholme at the Rosedale dairy.

Miss Mary Carney, of Cowley, was visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Patterson, this week.

A number of local Masons attended the ball given at Hillcrest on Wednesday night.

Mrs. E. C. McDonald has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Meade, at Athabasca.

Fred Hansen has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Bellevue area corps, with James Callan as chief pilot.

Bill Cole met with a slight accident in the washhouse on Monday. While washing, he fell and sustained a gash in the head.

One of Bellevue's citizens is congratulating himself on the way he handled the Chink who caused so much excitement last week. Good for A. H.

The marriage of William Sickoff and Miss Christina Leskoski was solemnized at Blairmore on Sunday. The happy couple starts housekeeping in Bellevue, with the best wishes of their many friends.

Bellevue this week welcomed home a French soldier who spent fifteen months at the front and was sent home wounded and unfit for further service. Prior to going to the front he was a citizen of Bellevue.

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Household Furniture for sale. Apply to Marshall, Hamilton, Frank, Alta.

Send to me for free sampler Wheat and Chicken Feed, at \$1.00 per hundred pounds, to b.o.b. Cowley sacked.—C. H. POWLETT.

At the front there are 77 drugists from British Columbia. With plenty of pills they should be able to move the Germans.

Messrs. Hutchinson, Campbell, Cameron, Cherrie, Fisher and Stubbs, who had been taking military courses at Calgary, returned to the Pass on Tuesday.

The name of J. A. Price, No. 442759, appears in this week's casualty lists, being killed in action. Mr. Price was from Coleman, where his wife and six children now reside, and had only been in the firing line for a short period.

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The prohibition bill which is to be submitted to the people of British Columbia for decision at the general election, will, if approved by a majority, come into effect on July 1st of next year. The original intention was to make it effective on January 1st. There is no provision for compensation in the bill.

The growing of even a few vegetables by twice as many people as have vegetable gardens at present would enormously simplify some of our economic problems, and give to so many more thousands of families fresher and more healthful vegetable food. Considered in relation to a few families, this may seem of small interest, but the cumulative result throughout the Dominion would be of great national importance.

Mrs. Sonville, who left for her old home in Belgium shortly after the outbreak of the war to recover her children who had been living with her father, returned to The Pass last week with the children. Mrs. Sonville tells of the difficulty she experienced in rescuing the little ones from the cruel Hun invaders, and how that her father was one of more than two hundred Belgian victims of Hun atrocities who were simply lined up and shot dead in cold blood, the whole line up being mere past the military age.

"Smash everything, including the fixtures, in all so-called drugstores which are really saloons!" were the orders of Mayor Hiriam C. Gill of Seattle to the police on May 4th. "I am willing to take my chances with any jury if those fellows go into court and claim damages," said the mayor. "No sensible man believes that a drug store which carries \$2,000 worth of liquor stock is conducting a legitimate business." My directions to the police are to make it plain to the bootleggers that this is not a kid glove campaign."

The C.P.R. have a large gang of men employed in the slide loading rock and gravel on cars for shipment to different points in Alberta and Saskatchewan where the railroad bed was undermined by the freshets of last year. In taking the material from the slide, the company is clearing the way for straightening the road over the slide and reducing considerably the steep grade. A powerful steam shovel, capable of lifting many tons at a time, is being used. Already several hundred carloads of the debris have been shipped away.

Blairmore Lodge, No. 88, meets in their Hall, 889 Victoria St., every Tuesday at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren welcome. A. J. OLSEN, N.G. J. B. HAMER, H.S.

CROWNS' ENCLAMPMENT NO. 8 Meets in the I.O.O.F. Hall every second and fourth Wednesday. A. Morency, C.P., W.J. Borlett, R.S.

L. H. Putnam

Barrister, Solicitor and Notary Public. Agent for Life Line Fire Accident and Fire Glass Insurance Companies. Member of the Bar and Barristers Branch office at Coleman and Bellevue. Phone 107 BLAIRMORE Alberta.

For Sale or Rent

Three Quarter Sections known as the Hart Ranch, at or near Burns.

Also, House and Store, at Bellevue, belonging to The Hospital. For further information apply to The Imperial Canadian Trust Company, Limited, Calgary, Alberta, or to L. H. Putnam, their Solicitor, Blairmore, Alberta.

The Greenwood Lodge, in commenting on a contemporary says: "The Hope Review is five years old, but rather small for its age. It has had several parts since it was born, and is used to the bottle. Its bright pages are always pleasing to the writer."

The service at the Anglican church on Sunday morning last was well attended. The preacher, Rev. H. Clay, who was assisted by J. Bolden, of Bellevue, took as his subject "The place of preaching in the church's system," in which the preacher remarked that "the end was not achieved unless it resulted in action. The crucified Christ surely meant for Christians better living."

Frank Happenings

Mine Inspector Shaw visited the local mines on Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Blinston, of Burns, was visiting friends in Frank this week.

A cantata will be given in the Methodist church this evening at 8 o'clock, to be followed by a series of lantern slides.

A picnic will be held on the local sports grounds on Victoria Day, for which an interesting programme is being arranged.

David Lamont and Jack Crawford attended the Masonic ball at Hillcrest on Tuesday night and report having had a good time.

Mrs. Marshall Hamilton leaves this week end for her old home in New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Marshall is accepting a position with the C.P.R. at Medicine Hat, which he assumes shortly.

Messrs. Taylor and Blomqvist, the new lessees of the Union hotel, have had many important improvements and repairs effected, and now have the hotel opened up for business. The old dining room has been converted into a pool hall, while the former pool hall is now a nicely arranged dining room. The office is divided, and a well equipped torsion parlor is now in charge of a thoroughly experienced and efficient keeper. Messrs. Taylor & Blomqvist deserve support in their enterprise. It is their intention to give good service and to command Frank's share of the hotel patronage.

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